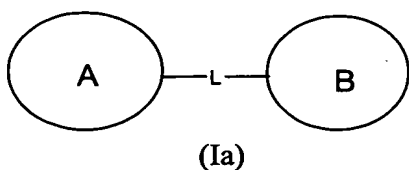


ABSTRACT

THERAPEUTICS

The use of a compound of formula (Ia):



wherein A and B are independently selected from a cyclic ring, wherein each of which cyclic rings A and B may be optionally substituted at at least one ring position; and L is a suitable linker;

10 or a pharmaceutically acceptable salt thereof, in the manufacture of a medicament for use in inhibiting ADP-ribosyl cyclase.